

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): TANAKA, et al.
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Group: 1763
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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING RCE
AND
STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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April 9, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments